

NAZI COLUMNS PUT SQUEEZE ON ALLIES

FIRST ACTUAL STAND MADE IN CENTRAL AREA

Forces Engage in Battle Like-
ly To Decide Control of
Southern Norway.

By The Associated Press
STOCKHOLM, April 29.—The
first actual stand made in the
central area of Norway, where
the German forces are pushing
northward, was reported today
from the Gudbrandsdalen valley,
between Roros and Støren in
the Glomma river valley.

German troops, driving over
mountain roads, were reported
to have reached the vital
railroad linking British bases at
Dombas and Støren.

They were said to have en-
gaged an Allied force in the first
phase of a battle expected to
decide control of southern Norway.

Fighting severe
and some observers expressed
belief a situation had been reached
in which Allied troops may be
able to take advantage of strategic
defensive positions.

The Germans, however, already
have proved their ability to ad-
vance swiftly over difficult moun-
tain trails to outflank forces bar-
ring their way.

But this has been largely de-
pendent on protection from Ger-
man warplanes scouring a patch
clear for the motorized units and
from the Allied viewpoint, much
depends on their air defenses.

Reports that the British had
concentrated troops at Herkinn,
above the Dombas-Støren railway,
and that fighting already was in
progress there were interpreted
as evidence that Allied resis-
tance is developing.

U. S. SHIPPING GAINS DESPITE RESTRICTION

Justice Department Also
Forms Neutrality Agency.

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, April 29.—Dis-
cussion that American shipping
has reached its highest point in
16 years despite neutrality act re-
strictions coincided today with the
creation of a special neutrality
agency in the justice department.

Attorney General Jackson ap-
pointed the new agency "respon-
sible for control" in prosecu-
tion relating to neutrality, fraud,
sabotage or "kindred
offenses."

Members of the new agency,
Jackson said, will study cases in
terms of "both adequate protection
of the national interest and the
civil rights of individuals."

The unit will work in "active
cooperation" with guardians of neu-
trality in the state, war, navy and
treasury departments, but will
not overlap the work of the
federal bureau of investi-
gation or the civil liberties unit.

It will be headed by Lawrence M.
C. Smith of Pennsylvania, who
previously had made investment
studies for the SEC.

MANFIELD JUDGE ELECTED

By The Associated Press
COLUMBUS, O., April 29.—Judge
C. S. Manfield of the Ohio State
Court of Common Pleas
succeeding Judge Alfred
C. C. C.

55 Marion Co. Farm Bureau Members Receive 20-Year Pins



Organization Embracing 1,000 Persons in County—
Honors Charter Members at Meeting Here;
13 Others To Get Similar Awards.

PARTY LEADER ATTACKS DAVEY

Salem Democrat Questions
Ex-Governor's Qualifica-
tion As Candidate.

By The Associated Press
COLUMBUS, O., April 29.—
Arthur Limbach, Democratic state
chairman, was asked today to in-
quire whether former Gov. Davey,
seeking a third term nomination,
was a qualified Democratic candi-
date.

The request was contained in a
letter from John Taylor of Salem,
leader of anti-Davey Democratic
forces during Davey's last term.
Taylor principally opposed appro-
priation bills which he termed
"exorbitant."

Taylor wrote that as a candi-
date for lieutenant governor he
made the requested oath that he
voted for a majority of Demo-
cratic candidates at the last gen-
eral election, and asserted:

"It is a matter of general
knowledge and belief that former
Gov. Davey (whose political ma-
chine is quickly opposing me on
the basis of 'disloyalty') did not
support Democratic nominees."

In fact, it is general knowledge
that he went out of his way to
defeat the Democratic state nomi-
nees.

Urges Investigation

"Therefore, I believe that you
as state chairman should inquire
of the secretary of state whether
or not he (Davey) is legally eligi-
ble to have his name appear on
the ballot as a Democrat."

Taylor also asked Limbach to
check rumors that Davey dis-
charged state employees who had
declared their intention of sup-
porting Charles Sawyer, the 1938
Democratic gubernatorial nomi-
nee. Sawyer defeated Davey after
a bitter primary fight.

Ohio has a Dewey-for-President
club in the wake of a week-end
of political activity on many
fronts.

More events are scheduled for
this week including appearances
in Ohio by Paul V. McNutt, Demo-
cratic presidential aspirant, and
Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge (R-
Mass.).

Democrats will hold meetings at
Marietta Tuesday and at Lima
Saturday where McNutt will speak.
The League of Young Republican
clubs will convene at Columbus
Saturday to hear Lodge.

Thomas Dewey of New York,
candidate for Republican presi-
dential nomination, did not know
the new Ohio club was to be
formed in his behalf, said James
R. Gahan, its president.

Gahan, former Columbus post-
master, is a member of the club.

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A FEMALE BOSTON BULL TERRIER

that answers to the name of
"Boots" was lost on State
route 23 or has wandered
away from its home. If you
see this dog the owner will
give a reward for its return
to the address under classi-
fication 5.

It won't be long until you
will need an ice box, so, it
will save you money if you
will buy yours now. There
are several advertised today
under classification 15.

Spring time is bicycle time
and there are several adver-
tised today under 65. You
will be able to buy either a
boy's or girl's very reason-
able by consulting the ad.

You will be surprised at the
results you get by advertis-
ing those household articles
that you are not using, for
its easy to turn them into
cash.

Marion County Farm Bureau
members who have belonged to
the organization since its forma-
tion were presented 20-year pins
at a special program Saturday
night at the Masonic Temple.
Fifty-five of the 68 persons eli-
gible to receive the awards were
present for the ceremonies. The
others will receive their pins later.

55 in Picture

Pictured above are the 55 who
received their pins. Top row,
left to right, Mr. and Mrs. Ira
Beers of Scott township, Mr. and
Mrs. Earl Beers of Marion town-
ship, L. V. Hile of Grand Prairie
township, J. Ray Leeper of Grand
Prairie township, Mrs. M. S. Is-
ler of Marion township, and Mr.
E. L. Trout of Claridon town-
ship. Second row, from left to
right, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wilson
of Grand Prairie township, D. C.
Cope of Pleasant township, Mr.

and Mrs. Albert Click of Marion
township, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Em-
ley of Claridon township, Mrs.
L. E. Weir of Scott township and
Mr. Weir, Mrs. John W. Ruth of
Green Camp township and Mr.
Ruth, Mrs. W. H. Uncapher of
Big Island township and Mr. Un-
capher, Mrs. V. F. Shrocks of
Pleasant township.

Third row from top, left to
right, Mrs. William Loyer of Rich-
land township, H. H. Beringer of
Waldo township and Mrs. Ber-
inger, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Pat-
child of Marion township, Mrs.
H. E. Click of Prospect township,
Mr. and Mrs. Foster A. Davidson
of Grand Prairie township, Mrs.
Elmer Bentley of Big Island
township and Mr. Bentley, Mrs.
Clyde Beaver of Marion township
and Mr. Beaver, Mrs. Abbie Is-
ler of Prospect township, Mrs.
W. H. Lust of Pleasant township
and Mr. Lust.

Bottom row, left to right, Wil-
liam J. Loyer of Richland town-
ship, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mautz
of Pleasant township, Mr. and
Mrs. C. W. Fetter of Claridon
township, Mr. and Mrs. G. B.
Flaher of Scott township, Mr. and
Mrs. A. J. Loudenslager of Mar-
ion township, Mrs. Frank Oes-
terle of Big Island township and
Mr. Oesterle, Mrs. W. E. Mautz
of Richland township and Mr.
Mautz.

MARION STUDENTS WIN MUSIC HONORS

One Harding Entry To Com-
pete in National Contest.

Three of Harding High school's
seven entries in a state solo and
ensemble music contest Saturday
at Oberlin college won ratings of
superior and one contestant, Nor-
man Barnhart, 18, son of Mr. and
Mrs. F. L. Barnhart of 137 Hill
street, won the right to participate
in the national contests May 15-
17 at Battle Creek, Mich.

Barnhart, who will be gradu-
ating in June, won superior rat-
ing in the Sousaphone solo event.

Harding's brass sextet was one
of three sextets to win superior
rating and was selected from the
 trio to be first alternate to the
national contest. Members of the
sextet are: Don Jerow, Richard
Smith, Eleanor Myers, Marion
Burton, Jack Garrity and Norman
Barnhart.

The Harding string ensemble,
composed of Kathryn Stuckey,
Helen Cottrell, Jane Thomas,
Howard Cahill and Morris Kline,
won superior rating but there will
be no string ensemble event at
the national contest.

The Harding trumpet trio, Roth-
well Stuckey, Richard Smith and
Leonard Malott, the drum major,
Theodore Whidden, and Helen
Berry, viola soloist, won ratings of
excellent, second highest awarded.
The string quartet, Gene Smith-
son, Gloria Rosenberg, George
Lans and Bob Smith were placed
in the third division with a rating
of good.

Barnhart plans to enter Ohio
State university next fall for the
study of business administration,
with a minor in music.

BRICKER PROPOSES HONOR FOR VICTIMS OF MINE

By The Associated Press
ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., April 29
—Gov. Bricker believes that a
monument should be built to the
memory of the 72 men who per-
ished in the Willow Grove mine
explosion March 16.

He so expressed himself yester-
day in praising the victims as
heroes who died in the perfor-
mance of duty. The governor spoke
at memorial services in the base-
ball park at nearby Neffs, attend-
ed by approximately 4,000 per-
sons.

The governor's monument pro-
posal won applause from the
crowd, which included relatives of
all the victims, occupying special
seats.

John Owens, president of the
Ohio district, United Mine Work-
ers of America, introduced Bricker
as an "outstanding statesman"
who had striven to improve safety
in the coal mines. Owens was
chairman of the services.

Public Meeting on Fire, Relief Leaves Tonight

A public meeting for discussion
of ways of supporting the two
special tax levy proposals which
will be up at the May 14 pri-
maries will be held tonight at the
Central fire station under the
auspices of the Marion Central
Labor union.

Mayor Snare, Safety-Service
Director Clyde Caldwell, Fire
Chief McFarland and other lead-
ers are expected to attend. The
union has invited the general pub-
lic and leaders of various civic
organizations to attend.

The meeting is called for 7:30.
Both levies have been voted
the support of the union. One levy
is for 1.3 mills for relief and the
other is one mill for fire depart-
ment improvements. Both are
proposed for two years.

PREDICT VETO OF PAY CHANGE

Capital Sources Say President
Won't Sign Amendment
to Wage-Hour Law.

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, April 28.—A
presidential veto of legislation re-
vising the wage-hour law was
forecast in congressional circles
today if the Barden amendments
to exempt certain farm processing
plants are included.

Legislators based their predic-
tion on Mr. Roosevelt's recent let-
ter saying that it would be "a
great mistake" to adopt the Bar-
den proposals.

The President, who returned
yesterday from Warm Springs,
Ga., called congressional leaders
to the White House for a report
on the general legislative situa-
tion.

Heading the senate calendar
was the administration bill to con-
firm a presidential order "free-
ing" American assets of Danish
and Norwegian citizens and re-
quiring licenses for transactions
in them.

Senator Danaher, Republican of
Connecticut, leading the opposi-
tion, contended that the measure
would extend Mr. Roosevelt's
penetrate powers "far beyond any
wartime powers ever granted to
any President."

The house, meanwhile, devoted
a third day to score of wage-hour
amendments in the face of re-
curring reports that the senate
probably would pigeonhole all
proposed revisions.

The Barden proposals, center of
the hottest battle, would exempt
from the maximum 42-hour-week
and 30-cent-an-hour minimum
nearly a score of operations ap-
plied to farm products but not
performed on the farm.

Many house members expressed
the opinion that the outcome
would provide an accurate in-
dication of what the house would
do on pending amendments to
the Wagner act and on appropri-
ations for relief and agriculture.

2 DEAD AND 4 JAILED IN BLOODY BREATHITT

Gun Battle Grows Out of
Political Wars.

By The Associated Press
JACKSON, Ky., April 28.—Two
men are dead and four others are
in jail after another burst of gun-
fire in "Bloody Breathitt" county
where enmity exists between two
political factions, dating back to
the bitter 1938 Barkley-Chandler
Democratic senatorial primary.

County Jailor William Combs,
41, was shot down yesterday, ap-
parently from ambush, on the out-
skirts of this mountain county
seat, and shortly afterwards, one
of his turnkeys, Benton Sizemore,
25, was killed by a bullet in
his back and he approached the
scene of the Combs slaying.

The four suspects, held in Win-
chester, Ky., were listed by Clark
County Jailor Omer Booth as Ru-
dell Boone and Pete Combs and
Arthur Lee. The three Combses,
Jackson Police Chief A. S. Sizemore
said, are related to the slain
Breathitt county jailer.

Booth said commitment papers
of the four stated they were
charged with murder.

William Combs and Benton Sizemore
were the third and fourth
men to die by bullets in Breathitt
county this year in what ap-
peared to be related incidents
having as a background the cam-
paign in which Senate Majority
Leader Alben W. Barkley was un-
successfully opposed for his seat by
A. B. Chandler, then governor,
now United States senator by ap-
pointment.

BURNS CAUSE CHILD'S DEATH NEAR WALDO

Doris Ellen Rengert, 3, Dies
As Clothing Catches Fire
at Farm Home.

Burns suffered when her cloth-
ing caught fire as she tried to put
a piece of paper in the kitchen
range caused the death of Doris
Ellen Rengert, 3, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Frank E. Rengert of one
half mile south of Waldo Saturday
at 2 p. m. in the City hospital.

The child's clothing was burned
off and her body, limbs and throat
badly burned.

The accident occurred about
9:30 a. m. Saturday, when Mrs.
Rengert left Doris Ellen and her
sister, Jan, aged about 5 years
in the house while she went into
the driveway to make some pur-
chases from a huckster wagon.

Predict Veto of Pay Change

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MRS. EVA WOTTRING OF PROSPECT IS DEAD

Sudden Illness Fatal to Kin
of Town's Founder.

Special to The Star
PROSPECT, April 29.—Mrs.
Eva Wottring, 75, granddaughter
of Christian Gast who founded
Prospect and widow of the late
J. P. Wottring who was cashier
of the Green Camp bank, was
found dead about 8:30 this morn-
ing in the bathroom of her home
here. Coroner M. P. Aethelred
said death was due to a heart at-
tack and that apparently she had
been dead since late Saturday
night.

Mrs. Wottring, Mrs. Agnes
Harmon and Mrs. Norma
Stoner of Prospect returned late
Saturday night from a tour of
famous gardens in Virginia and
North Carolina. This morning
Mrs. Harmon and Miss Emma
Fox, a neighbor, went to call on
Mrs. Wottring and received no
response to their knocking at the
door.

Mrs. Wottring was passing the
house on his way to the Prospect
bank where he is cashier, and
noticed that Mrs. Wottring did
not come to the door, he stopped
and tried the door. Finding it
locked, he raised a window and
entered the home. He found
Mrs. Wottring on the bathroom
floor.

Mrs. Wottring was the daugh-
ter of George and Mary Gast and
was a lifelong resident of Pros-
pect. She was a member of St.
Paul Lutheran church, was ac-
tive in the missionary society and
taught in the Sunday school. Two
daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Masters
and Mrs. Millie Wyatt, both of Pros-
pect, survive.

Friends may call at the home
after noon Tuesday. Funeral ar-
rangements were to be completed
this afternoon.

BRITISH REPORT 28 GERMAN SHIPS SUNK

By The Associated Press
LONDON, April 28.—A British
statement tonight reported that
28 German transports and supply
ships had been sunk since April 8.

In addition, the statement said,
ten German ships were "hit by
torpedoes and probably sunk" and
one named the Maine was scut-
tled.

BRITISH FLYING BOAT SINKS NAZI SUBMARINE

By The Associated Press
LONDON, April 29.—The air
ministry today reported that a
Sunderland flying boat had
bombed and sunk a German sub-
marine trapped close to the Nor-
wegian coast. The date of the en-
counter was not given.

GETS G. O. P. VOTE



Ashley Patrolman
Saves Deputy in
Prisoners' Attack

State Highway Patrolman Carl
Whipple of near Ashley, respon-
sible to call for help from Deputy
Sheriff Grimes Morgan when the
latter was attacked by five pris-
oners at the Adams county jail
late Saturday, "waded in" and
helped subdue the attackers, a
news report from West Union
stated today.

The escape attempt began as
Morgan entered a cell block. Mor-
gan's head was cut as one of three
youths charged with robbery beat
him with a section of iron pipe.
Patrolman Whipple, who happened
to be in the jail office, heard
the cries of Morgan and rushed to
his assistance, quelling the upris-
ing in short order. The prisoners
were returned to their cells.

They were identified by Morgan
as Robert Abbott, 18; Orville
Hampton, 20, and William Harri-
son, 18, all of Wheelington, ac-
cused in a \$150 store robbery, and
Henry Pettikrow, 40, of Indian-
apolis and Boyd Jones, 37, of Clifton
Forge, Va.

The first three were involved
in the death of John Baldwin, 17,
of West Union, who was fatally
wounded when a shotgun dis-
charged in a car used by the
youths in their getaway.

Whipple, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Carl Whipple Sr. of near Ashley,
at least twice before was involved
in fights with criminals. Late in
1937 he engaged in a running gun
battle with a pair of fleeing band-
its near New Vienna. They es-
caped after a bullet from their
rifles shattered Whipple's wind-
shield, the flying glass cutting him
seriously enough that he had to
go to a hospital.

In June 1938, using the same
rifle, he pursued two other band-
its and captured both after
wounding them. His car and the
bandit car were both going 30
miles an hour during the battle.

OHIO'S WHEAT CROP IS ABOUT NORMAL

State Agronomist Makes Sur-
vey To Study Situation.

By The Associated Press
WOOSTER, April 28.—An in-
spection trip throughout Ohio
convinced C. A. Lamb, Ohio ag-
ricultural experiment station
agronomist, that the state will
have a normal wheat crop this
year despite the severe winter.

"Runners of severe injury to
winter wheat have been much
exaggerated," Lamb reported to-
day. "Damage is restricted to
very exposed positions and to in-
jury from standing water in low
spots."

Although the crop entered the
winter with much less growth
than normal, Lamb said "growing
weather continued almost until
Christmas and most fields got a
fair start."

"Average temperatures were
unusually low during the early
part of the year, but there were
no exceptionally low points," he
continued. "Furthermore, snow
was abundant, and an almost con-
stant cover was maintained. For
these reasons, cold injury was
limited entirely to very exposed
knolls where the snow blew off,
mostly in the hilly sections of
southeastern Ohio although it was
not generally serious even there."

Lamb noted that wheat fields
following corn or soybeans, where
the previous crop used soil mois-
ture late in the fall, were dis-
tinctly poorer than fields follow-
ing oats or sod.

TEMPERATURES

Observer Raffenberger's Report
(For period between 8 a. m. yes-
terday and 8 a. m. today.)

Maximum Yesterday	70
Minimum Yesterday	48
Barometer	29.20
Weather	Clear
One Year Ago Today	
Maximum	63
Minimum	37

SPEED DRIVE AS RESISTANCE STRENGTHENS

Oslo and Trondheim Forces
Seek Contact; Nazi Loss
Reported at Stenokjor.

By The Associated Press
German forces were reported
closing in from opposite directions
tonight in an effort to squeeze
Allied forces in central Norway
between two Nazi columns.

Reports reaching Stockholm
said one Nazi force, moving north-
ward from Oslo, had taken Kvam,
35 miles southeast of Dombas,
vital British-held railroad junc-
tion guarding that approach to
German-held Trondheim.

Authorized sources in Berlin
said another German force, strike-
ing south from Trondheim, was
attempting to meet the north-
ward moving column and was
within 25 miles of its goal.

These reports and indications
that the Allied resistance is gain-
ing strength pointed toward an
impending major battle which
may hold the key to southern
Norway's fate.

Another German attack, in the
Stenokjor sector north of Tron-
heim where the British and Ger-
mans both have dug in, was said
to have been repelled with heavy
Nazi losses.

Reports in Stockholm said the
Germans now faced the problem
of breaking through a supposedly
strong machine-gun and light ar-
tillery line the Allies have drawn
across the rocky Gudbrandsdalen
(valley) and Glomma river val-
ley.

Whether the Germans again
will be able to climb around the
defense positions by sending their
columns over snowy mountain
paths depends on the Allies' abili-
ty to cope with the Nazi air pow-
er, these sources pointed out.

ALLIES ON ALERT

Reports of Allied concentra-
tions, however, were regarded in
Stockholm as evidence that the
Allies were alive to the situation.

DNB, official German news
agency, reported the Nazis had
captured 20,000 artillery shells,
many portable wireless sets and
other war materials.

Thrusting over snowy mountain
roads, the Germans were reported
to have reached the railroad link-
ing Dombas and Støren at a point
where British troops met them in
the first round of a battle which
may decide control of southern
Norway.

Both sides rushed up reinforce-
ments, preparing a bitter battle.
A lightning 40-mile advance en-
abled the Germans to strike at the
railway.

Above the Norwegian battle-
grounds, British fighter planes
were reported challenging Ger-
man bombers which have been
harassing Allied forces in that
German-occupied country.

The Norwegian telegraph
agency reported that German air
attacks on British warships were
repulsed and Allied transports
were arriving daily.

Nazi Admit Opposition

The official German news
agency, admitting for the first
time that German progress in
Norway was meeting increasing
stiff opposition said that the Brit-
ish in Norway, after their "fail-
ures" in past weeks, "obviously
had received orders to strengthen
their resistance," but the agency
said the firmer British stand "had
not halted" Nazi drives.

Berlin yesterday claimed offi-
cially that in the Stavanger dis-
trict, which has been the target of
repeated British air attacks, the
Nazis had taken 241 officers in-
cluding "numerous English fliers,"
and 2,321 men. The communiques
did not say how many of these
prisoners were Norwegian.

Stavanger is in southwest Nor-
way and previously had not been
represented as a region of large
land operations.

Germany radiated confidence
that the Nazis' military and dip-
lomatic blows were undermining
Allied strength.

On the political battlefield, au-
thorized Nazi sources maintained
that Germany was satisfied that
faith in British and French as-
surances had been removed from
the minds of neutral nations.

This, they held, was the result
of Foreign Minister Joachim von
Ribbentrop's declaration Saturday
that Germany marched into Nor-
way April 9 to prevent a planned
British invasion and of the is-
suation of the white book contain-

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KING OF HEALTH TODAY!

May He Thus Always Stay

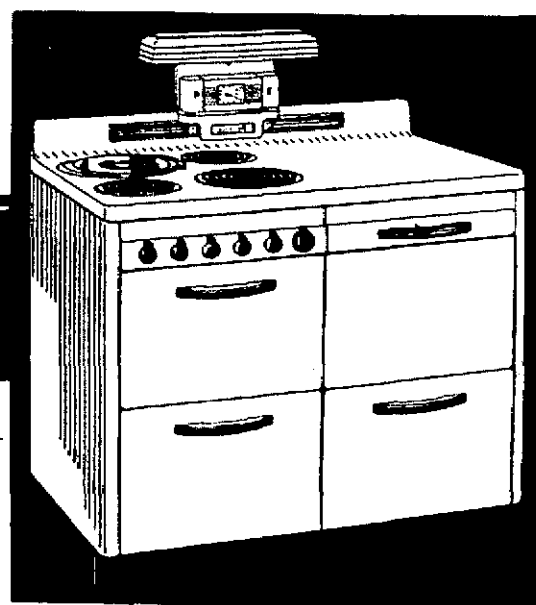
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GOLFERS BUSY OVER PLEASANT WEEK-END

Both Marion Courses Report Best Crowds This Season.

Hundreds of golfers took advantage of the warm weather to tour the Marion Country club and Mar-O-Dei courses over the week-end. Bill Schlimmel, Country club pro, and George Wilhelm, Mar-O-Dei manager, reported that Saturday and Sunday play was the heaviest of the early season.

Twenty-four entries were filed in the Mar-O-Dei "ringer" tournament. At the Country club where the tournament schedule hasn't begun the linksmen occupied themselves by getting in trim for the summer program. They heard the announcement of plans for the club's May stag party, to be held Wednesday under the direction of J. J. Huebner, entertainment chairman.

Both courses busy
Pro Schlimmel reported most of the golfers neglected to turn in their cards. John Glackin posted an 18-hole tally of 84 to be among those with the lowest reported scores. About 75 were out yesterday and more than 40 players were on hand Saturday. The club was host for the Marion-Galion scholastic match Saturday morning.

Mar-O-Dei was buzzing with activity from dawn to dusk Sunday. Many golfers came from nearby communities. Manager Wilhelm reported, Ron Stull, Harding High school senior, is leading the men's division of the ringer tourney with a par 37. Walter McCunell's 30 is second and others among the leaders are L. E. Oberlander 42, Manny Fogle and William Sherman 43, Ed Dull and Perry Kores 46.

24 Entries Filed
Of the 24 entries already filed, 18 are men and six women. Mrs. Betty Rife, wife of Johnny Rife, greens superintendent, is leading the feminine contingent. Her present tourney score is 40, or 14 strokes ahead of her nearest rival, Mrs. Thelma Minard, who has a 53. The tournament will continue until early June.

Mr. Huebner, supervising arrangements for the Country club stag, reported that golf, dinner and an entertainment program will comprise the bill-of-fare on Wednesday. The dinner will be served at 6 p. m. Assisting Chairman Huebner are B. H. Huettlin, Leonard Young, Edward W. Fox, Carl Danner, Edwin C. Dee, Jack Weiss, Lester Wall, A. W. Kelle, Dr. W. A. Dennis, and Louis E. Michel.

COURTHOUSE DAMAGED BY FIRE AT LEBANON

LEBANON, O., April 20.—The 100-year-old central portion of the Warren county courthouse was damaged by fire which raged through its attic early today.

Stocks and Bonds
Stock and bond sales today: stocks 566,650; bonds 4,691,500.

Annual Homecoming Service Held Sunday at Fite Memorial Church

Several hundred members and former members of the congregation of Fite Memorial Baptist church attended the annual homecoming services at the church Sunday.

Dr. Paul Judson Morris of Granville was the speaker at the morning church service, which also included special music by Mrs. Kermit Taylor and Mrs. Harvey Woy.

A basket dinner at noon was followed by an afternoon program during which a history of the church was read by Mrs. H. L. Brobeck. Mrs. Brobeck also was in charge of a memorial service for members who passed away during the year. Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. D. H. Taylor, Mrs. Anna Spitzer and Mrs. Mary Dennis. Letters were read from former pastors, Rev. W. S. Young, Rev. F. A. Twining, Rev. E. C. Potter and Rev. F. E. Hawes and from Rev. E. C. Hulston, a former member of the church who is now pastor of a Tampico, Ill., church.

A program of music was presented, including an accordion solo by Mrs. Leonard Parker, Hawaiian guitar selections by Dale Northrup and vocal selections by a quartet from the First United Brethren church.

Rev. A. G. Adrians of Hubbard, O., a former pastor, delivered the sermon at the evening service and a group of musical selections were presented by Mrs. Adrians.

RELIEF FOOD ORDERS TO BE DISTRIBUTED TUESDAY

Will Be 8 Per Cent Smaller Than In Last Few Months.

Food orders to approximately 450 city direct and work relief clients will be distributed tomorrow at the new relief headquarters in the old North State street school building. Orders will be given out on the second floor of the building from 8 to 11:30 a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m.

Relief Director Frank S. Burns estimated the orders will cost \$2,500. The orders will be eight per cent smaller than they have been for the past several months, under a recently announced ruling announced by city officials. Late last year the size of the orders was increased eight per cent.

FORMER MT. GILEAD MAN TAKES FRENCH POSITION

Special to The Star

MT. GILEAD, April 20.—W. P. Neff, formerly superintendent of the Hydraulic Press Mfg. Co. erecting shop, has obtained a leave of absence from the New York Ordnance Co. for one year to act as an inspector for the French government purchasing commission between Milwaukee, Wis., and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Neff took up his new duties at Milwaukee today after a visit with Mt. Gilead friends.

homecoming program was the reunion of the Baraca class which was taught by Mrs. John Heisel about 20 years ago. The Baraca class and another class which Mrs. Heisel now teaches ate together at the dinner. A gift was presented to Mrs. Heisel from the members of the class. The members of the old Baraca class were David Roberts, Glen Riddle, William Kehrwecker, Willard Bradshaw, Stanley Brobeck, Elmer Smith, William Willis, Verne Barnhill, Charles Buckingham, Harley Johnson, John Holliday and Ernest Frost.

There also were several charter members of the church present for the homecoming including Mrs. Grace Holliday, Mrs. Iva Northrup, Mrs. Hulda Taylor, Mrs. Bertha Brobeck and Mrs. Mary Frost.

Rev. W. K. Riggs, pastor, was in charge of the program throughout the day.

KEYNOTER STARTS WORK ON ADDRESS

(More About Stassen on Editorial Page Today.)

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Republican campaign tactics began crystallizing today with the arrival of Gov. Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota for conferences on his keynote speech to the party's national convention June 24.

The 33-year-old Stassen sought advice from party leaders in congress on expressions concerning foreign affairs, labor, agriculture, and other campaign issues.

He arranged a forenoon conference with Rep. Martin of Massachusetts, house minority leader and the designated choice for permanent convention chairman.

Then, a luncheon conference was on his schedule with Martin, Senators McNary of Oregon and Austin of Vermont, senate minority leaders, and several other Republican senators.

LONDON SAVES PAPER
LONDON, April 20.—Raucous voices of newspaper vendors were added today to London's street hubbub as war economy ended for the time being the use of the big posters they carried to advertise the news.

To help conserve Britain's diminishing newspaper supply, the newspapers decided to give up a practice which began before the start of the Crimean war in 1853 of furnishing posters for the portable bulletin boards. It was abandoned once before during the last few months of the world war.

GALION.—A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sharrock of West Church street, at the Good Samaritan hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Campbell are the parents of a daughter born Saturday at the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Langford are the parents of a son born Saturday at the hospital.

BAPTIST SERVICE HELD AT FIRST U. B. CHURCH

Nine persons were baptized and 21 received into membership Sunday when the first of a series of "Eleven Great Sundays" was observed at First United Brethren church. Rally day was observed in the Sunday school and during the church hour the pastor, Rev. Carl V. Roop, preached on "Building for Eternity." Music was furnished by the orchestra in the evening and Rev. Roop preached on "The Mind of Christ." Young People's day will be observed next Sunday.

The Osterberg guild will present a special program at the mid-week prayer service Wednesday in observance of Ascension day.

LABOR BOARD OPENS STEEL CLAIM OFFICES

CLEVELAND, April 20.—The labor board opened offices in four Ohio steel centers today to facilitate its check of claims under a recent supreme court decision upholding a board order against the Republic Steel Corp.

The offices will be maintained for about two weeks in Youngstown, Maillon, Canton and Niles, a board representative said, while investigation of the requests from an estimated 9,000 workers for back pay and reinstatement goes forward. The claims must be filed by July 1 or the right to unpaid wages will be forfeited.

ENGINEER ON TRIAL ON BRIBERY CHARGE

MARIETTA, O., April 20.—Ben F. Beckler Jr., Athens county engineer, went on trial today on charges of soliciting and accepting bribes in connection with county purchases. The trial was moved here on Beckler's contention he could not get a fair hearing in Athens.

MARION GROUP ATTENDS OHIO ELKS CONFERENCE

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Pierre, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beam, Sherman Haldeeman and T. A. O'Leary were in Akron Sunday attending the spring conference of the Ohio Elks' Association. The business session included the approving of the national pilgrimage to the Harding Memorial to be held here June 8. Full cooperation of the state organization was pledged.

C. A. Lais of Norwalk, president, and Harry D. Hale of Newark, Lodge were among the state officers present for the conference, one of the largest in the history of the lodge.

FRANCE ORDERS DEATH

PARIS, April 20.—The first death sentence for espionage handed down by the Paris military tribunal and the second in France against a woman since the war began was pronounced today against Carmen Mary, 34, a Swiss newspaperwoman.

Fritz Erner, 34, a German movie producer, arrested in October, 1938, also received the death penalty.

Deanna Durbin Scores Hit in Film at Palace Theater

Deanna Durbin scores again in "It's a Date," her latest vehicle, opening the Palace screen today and Tuesday. Deanna's picture highlights an altogether fine program. First on the supporting list is the March of Time edition dealing with Canada at war on the side of the Allies and reminding the audience that the scenes would be reproduced in this country if the United States should get into the war. Then there's Mickey Mouse, tugboat master, who gets in a peek of trouble all because of a broadcast of the type of the Orson Welles Martini invasion. Theatergoers are being given the opportunity this week to contribute to the Will Rogers Memorial hospital at Saranac Lake, N. Y., and the invitation to give is made by Kay Kyser, Judy Garland and Betty Davis. The newscast rounds out the bill.

Deanna is caught in the throes of young love and the heady wine of the legitimate theater. Kay Francis, as lovely and attractive as ever in this picture after too many roles in Grade B films, plays her actress mother and Walter Pidgeon is unusually charming as the wealthy bachelor on whom Deanna fixes her romantic ideas. He's really in love with the mother but there's many a good moment in the story before the true state of affairs is made plain to Deanna. Further complicating matters is the fact that she is given the Broadway stage role on which her mother had set her heart. Miss Francis never learns this, though, because of the events which smooth out her romance with Pidgeon. Much of the story is laid in Honolulu where Miss Francis has gone to rest after closing a successful play. Settings are beautiful and Miss Francis and Deanna wear exquisite clothes. Cecilia Loftus has a secondary role as a member of Miss Francis' household and carries it off with distinction. Deanna sings like a lark and her "Ave Maria" is something to wrap up and take home. Variety last week reported she has been signed by Met Opera.

The bill is recommended for the entire family. H.H.

STEEL COMPANIES LOSE SUPREME COURT SUIT

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The supreme court dismissed today an attack by seven steel companies upon a labor department order fixing the minimum wages they must pay their employees to obtain federal government contracts.

Justice Black delivered the decision which held that no legal rights of the companies "were shown to have been invaded or threatened." Justice McReynolds dissented.

Black said the litigation "makes it fitting to remember that the interference of the courts with the performance of the ordinary duties of the executive departments of the government would be productive of nothing but mischief."

The labor department order was issued under provisions of the 1936 Walsh-Healey act, which requires companies selling the government more than \$10,000 worth of supplies to pay their employees the prevailing minimum wage for their "locality."

METHODISTS WILL TAKE STAND ON DIES PROBE

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 20.—The Methodist church's general conference was expected to take an official stand today on the Dies committee investigating un-American activities.

Since Rept. Martin Dies' speech before the conference Saturday, the issue has effected a cleavage between "conservative" delegates and members of the National Council of Methodist Youth.

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2 Big Hit Features

FORGOTTEN GIRLS

City Marble Tourney Starts

Elimination Games Scheduled Today at Three Schools; Finals Saturday.

With the city marble championship and a four-day trip to Cedar Point at stake, Marion's youthful midgets today were getting set for the citywide marble tournament being held this week under sponsorship of the Marion Y.M.C.A.

Elimination games were to be held after school this afternoon at George Washington, Forest Lawn and Greenwood schools to select the champion players from those buildings to take part in the citywide final Saturday morning. Tomorrow morning's tournament will be held at Mark, North Main, Oak and St. Mary schools.

While only boys are eligible to enter the marble competition, a jacks tournament is being staged this week, also under the direction of the Y. The elimination games in the jacks tournament will follow the marble schedule and finals in this event also will be held Saturday morning.

An annual feature of the Y's recreation program, the marble tournament this year has been made especially interesting by plans to send the city champion to a sectional marble tournament at Cedar Point in June. Several bicycles are offered as prizes in the Cedar Point contest and the winner will go to Wildwood, N. J., later in the summer to take part in a national tourney.

In addition to the city marble crown and the trip to Cedar Point, the winner of the Marion tourney will receive a gold medal being offered by the Y. The runner-up to the champ will receive a silver medal while pins and other awards will be given to the winners of the building games. Similar awards are to be given in the jacks tournament.

Civic Orchestra Plans All-Marion Concert Tuesday

The Marion Civic orchestra, which will present its final concert of the 1939-40 season Tuesday night in the First Presbyterian church, will hold a final rehearsal tonight at the church. Carrying out the plan of making the last program an "all-Marion" concert, the orchestra will have as guests tomorrow night the a cappella choir of Harding High school.

Because of this the sponsors, the Woman's Symphony Board is hoping that a capacity attendance will be on hand. The orchestra, under the direction of Abram Ruvinsky of Columbus, will present an entertaining program of well known and well liked numbers, and the choir, directed by L. G. Jones, director of music in the city schools, will be heard in a well balanced group.

Doors of the church will be open at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday night and the concert will begin at 8:30. Single admission tickets may be obtained at the gas station at the southeast corner of Church and Prospect streets.

THEY HAVE MICKY MOUSE IN THEIR EYES!

Deanna has two sun-tanned suitors in romantic Hawaii!

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SIR MALCOLM CAMPBELL GETS DIVORCE IN LONDON

By The Associated Press
LONDON, April 20.—Sir Malcolm Campbell, for years known on land and water, was granted a divorce decree today on the ground of his wife's adultery with Sir Malcolm's former business associate, the late Brian Edmund Lewis.

A decree nisi is a conditional decree which may be made absolute after the expiration of a certain period—not less than six months—unless cause to the contrary is shown.

BELLE CENTER TO BUILD MILK SUGAR FACTORY

Special to The Star

KENTON, April 20.—Walter L. Lamb of Belle Center has been elected president of the Ohio Milk Sugar company, which has awarded contract for construction of a \$100,000 all-steel factory building in Belle Center to the Earl Wipple company of Mason, Mich. Steel for the structure, expected to be completed late this summer, will be supplied by the Engineering company of Lima, Mich.

Other officials of the board are E. W. Ramsey of Belle Center, vice president; Mrs. Edith Carothers, secretary-treasurer; three are incorporators and directors of the firm.

3 DAYS STARTING TOMORROW TUESDAY WED.-THURS. ADULT ENTERTAINMENT

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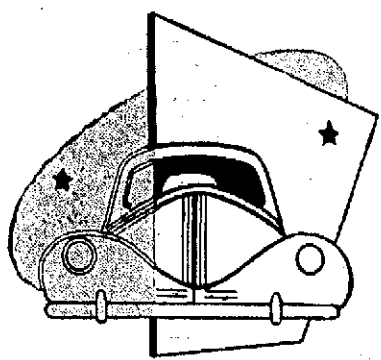
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NOW is the TIME to MODERNIZE-REMODEL-BUILD your own HOME

OHIO ASSOCIATIONS MAKING MORE LOANS

Increase Reported by Insured Savings Agencies.

WASHINGTON — A total of \$1,250,000 on homes amounting to \$1,250,000 were made by the insured savings and loan associations in Ohio during the first quarter of 1940, Nugent Fallon, president of the Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corp., announced today. These figures are based on 6,812 loans totaling \$1,250,000 in the opening three months of 1940, he said. As of March 31, 1940, total savings in the insured associations amounted to \$1,250,000.

Loans invested by the public during the first quarter of 1940, according to the same figures, aggregated \$33,081,350. As of March 31, 1940, total savings in the insured associations were placed at \$33,081,350.

There are 498-500 savers in Ohio insured by the Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corp., which operate under the Federal charter or Federal supervision. Their savings are fully insured against loss up to \$5,000 per account by the Insurance Corporation here, a federal government instrumentality.

Assets of the associations totaled \$1,250,000 on March 31. Those associations are located in Ada, Alliance, Alliance, Arcanum, Ashland, Barberton, Barnesville, Bedford, Belle, Bellefontaine, Bowling Green, Bridgeport, Bucyrus, Cambridge, Canton, Cedarville, Celina, Centerburg, Chagrin Falls, Chillicothe, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Cleveland Heights, Columbus, Columbus, Connaut, Covington, Crestline, Cuyahoga Falls, Dayton, Defiance, Delaware, Delphos, Delta, Dover, East Cleveland, East Liverpool, East Palestine, Elyria, Fostoria, Fremont, Galion, Geneva, Genoa,

ROOM ARRANGEMENT SHOULD HARMONIZE

Make Window Decorations Fit Into General Plan.

ITHACA, N. Y. — Windows should not only be decorative and attractive by themselves but should also harmonize with the entire room, according to Mrs. Charlotte Robinson of the New York State College of Home Economics.

Curtains and draperies, she says, serve a variety of purposes; they may temper the light, soften the glass and woodwork, bring color and softness to the room and windows, frame interesting views, give a feeling of privacy, and shut out unattractive views.

"Colored curtains and draperies should relate to the color of the wall; patterned curtains and draperies should contain something of the wall color. A pattern that has from four to six colors may be repeated elsewhere in the room and it may establish a color scheme."

"For a room without much pattern on the wall paper, or in books and hanging pictures, patterned curtains or draperies give friendliness and interest," she says to buy patterned curtain material only after it is seen draped in folds.

"Plain-colored curtains or draperies may match the color of plain walls, may harmonize with them, or may repeat some important color in a figured wall and at the same time harmonize with the rug and other furnishings."

"Two rooms may be in harmony if the curtains are the same general color in both rooms, even though patterned in one room and plain in the other," she says.

Smooth finish walls, fine furniture, tapestry and upholstery should be matched with curtains and draperies of a fine texture such as marquisette, nylon, chiffon, fine lace, glazed chintz, finely woven wool or cotton and rayon mixtures. Mrs. Robinson points out. The texture of the curtains or draperies should take its cue from the other fabrics in the room.

Enough emphasis cannot be placed on the fact that the prospective home builder should maintain an open mind on every point during the course of the planning of the house.

The home buyer rarely has complete understanding of the many factors that must be considered and the technical details with which he must deal. For that reason the architect and the builder should be given every opportunity to use their ingenuity and their technical knowledge.

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Better Design, Financing and Construction Gain Ground.

An alliance long advocated by federal officials—attractive design, sound construction standards, and a safe system of financing—appears to be gaining solid foundation in the home-building industry.

Any forward movement involving the important factors of design, good materials, and a safe financing system is a step in the right direction, officials asserted. A number of building-material dealers in various parts of the country have inaugurated ambitious newspaper-advertising programs calling attention to the importance of design and the right kind of financing for homes, as well as the importance of good materials.

Good Planning Vital "Better planning of homes is as vital as the use of good materials and as the use of a safe and sound system of home financing," declared Administrator Stewart McDonald.

"Interest in better home design is resulting in a union of three of the important individuals in the construction of good homes—the builder, the building-material man, and the financing agent."

"We find that a great many builders and building-material dealers are developing their campaigns around the theme that their homes and their materials meet federal standards. This, of course, widens the market for the builder who builds well, but above all else it contributes largely to the development of better communities and better neighborhoods, for which we are constantly striving."

Describes System "He pointed out that the federal home loan bank system is now financing the construction of a million dollars of homes a week, 'without cost to the taxpayer.'"

At the same time, the system is "encouraging thrift, placing home ownership on a more secure basis, improving living conditions, stimulating business, and contributing substantially to the employment of labor."

Home Building At New Peak in U. S., Officials Report

Small-home construction started under the FHA program established a new high record in the week ended March 23, Federal Housing Administrator Stewart McDonald announced.

In that period construction was started under FHA inspection on 3,266 new small homes on which mortgages have been accepted for insurance by the FHA. Mr. McDonald said. The previous record volume of new homes started was 3,122 in the week ended July 22, 1939.

Despite prolonged cold in many sections of the country, a sharp upturn in new-home construction operations under the FHA plan has been underway since late in February, Mr. McDonald said. For the four weeks ended March 23, building was started on 11,207 small homes financed by FHA-insured loans. This represented a gain of 59 per cent over the 7,058 small homes started in the preceding four weeks and of 20 per cent over the 9,257 new homes started in the comparable period of March 1939.

The seasonal pick-up in new building thus far this spring has been sharper than was the case last year, Mr. McDonald pointed out.

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The sharp expansion in new-building activities has been overshadowed by a record volume of applications for FHA mortgage insurance on proposed new homes. During the past two weeks, for the first time in history, these applications have been totaling close to 5,000 a week, covering both applications for mortgage insurance under title 2 of the national housing act and plans submitted for FHA approval on new homes. In the \$2,500 price class to be financed by loans insured under title 1 of the act.

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Home Ownership Called Important

As Incentive To Good Citizenship

The importance of home ownership in providing an incentive to good citizenship and in affording a sound investment medium for savings was emphasized by Federal Loan Administrator Jesse Jones in a recent address before the annual stockholders' meeting of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Winston-Salem, N. C.

"I am a great believer in people owning their own homes," Mr. Jones asserted. "It is an incentive to good citizenship. The possession of property, and especially one's home, is a worthy ambition."

Mr. Jones laid stress on the importance of low interest rates on real estate mortgages and of a conservative rate of return on real estate investments.

A Safe Investment "I would like to see a properly placed, properly protected first mortgage on improved real estate recognized as a safe and favorite form of investment for savings and trust funds generally," he said.

"Conservative investments should bear low interest rates and, while investors and savers want a fair return, they are more interested in the safety of their investments."

Mr. Jones expressed the opinion that real estate has been "required to pay too much interest, and too much taxes," and that banks, insurance companies, and

other lenders have not accorded as good treatment to mortgages as to other forms of investment.

"There is no reason why a first mortgage on improved property for which there is an economic need, whether it be business or residential, should not be accorded the lowest prevailing interest rate for properly secured loans," he declared.

He pointed out that the federal home loan bank system is now financing the construction of a million dollars of homes a week, "without cost to the taxpayer."

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Building Industry Improvement Cited

Better Design, Financing and Construction Gain Ground.

An alliance long advocated by federal officials—attractive design, sound construction standards, and a safe system of financing—appears to be gaining solid foundation in the home-building industry.

Any forward movement involving the important factors of design, good materials, and a safe financing system is a step in the right direction, officials asserted. A number of building-material dealers in various parts of the country have inaugurated ambitious newspaper-advertising programs calling attention to the importance of design and the right kind of financing for homes, as well as the importance of good materials.

Good Planning Vital "Better planning of homes is as vital as the use of good materials and as the use of a safe and sound system of home financing," declared Administrator Stewart McDonald.

"Interest in better home design is resulting in a union of three of the important individuals in the construction of good homes—the builder, the building-material man, and the financing agent."

"We find that a great many builders and building-material dealers are developing their campaigns around the theme that their homes and their materials meet federal standards. This, of course, widens the market for the builder who builds well, but above all else it contributes largely to the development of better communities and better neighborhoods, for which we are constantly striving."

Describes System "He pointed out that the federal home loan bank system is now financing the construction of a million dollars of homes a week, 'without cost to the taxpayer.'"

At the same time, the system is "encouraging thrift, placing home ownership on a more secure basis, improving living conditions, stimulating business, and contributing substantially to the employment of labor."

Home Building At New Peak in U. S., Officials Report

Small-home construction started under the FHA program established a new high record in the week ended March 23, Federal Housing Administrator Stewart McDonald announced.

In that period construction was started under FHA inspection on 3,266 new small homes on which mortgages have been accepted for insurance by the FHA. Mr. McDonald said. The previous record volume of new homes started was 3,122 in the week ended July 22, 1939.

Despite prolonged cold in many sections of the country, a sharp upturn in new-home construction operations under the FHA plan has been underway since late in February, Mr. McDonald said. For the four weeks ended March 23, building was started on 11,207 small homes financed by FHA-insured loans. This represented a gain of 59 per cent over the 7,058 small homes started in the preceding four weeks and of 20 per cent over the 9,257 new homes started in the comparable period of March 1939.

The seasonal pick-up in new building thus far this spring has been sharper than was the case last year, Mr. McDonald pointed out.

The 3,266 new homes on which construction was started in the week ended March 23 compared with 2,910 in the preceding week and 2,551 in the corresponding week of last year.

The sharp expansion in new-building activities has been overshadowed by a record volume of applications for FHA mortgage insurance on proposed new homes. During the past two weeks, for the first time in history, these applications have been totaling close to 5,000 a week, covering both applications for mortgage insurance under title 2 of the national housing act and plans submitted for FHA approval on new homes. In the \$2,500 price class to be financed by loans insured under title 1 of the act.

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NEW CEMENT PROCESS RESISTS WEATHERING

The introduction of a "case-hardening" concrete process in residential construction may help keep basements dry and improve the appearance of homes, according to those responsible for developing the process.

Developed in cooperation with the U. S. bureau of reclamation for use on western dams, one of the first uses of the new construction method will be in "case-hardening" basement walls for greater resistance to water passage.

Through the use of absorbent form lining, the surface of the concrete is "case-hardened" by the removal of trapped air and excess water. Unusually pits which have heretofore been virtually unavoidable on formed concrete are eliminated.

The new method is said not only to improve the appearance of homes but also to increase resistance to abrasion, weathering, and chemical attack.

REFRIGERATORS LEAD Given Top Spot in Preference List of Farm Families.

Rural and small-city families place electrical refrigerators at the top of their lists of labor-saving appliances most desired, according to a survey of purchase contracts.

Purchase of 83,344 contracts for electrical refrigerators led all other items included in the list of appliances. Next on the list of preferences were washers, followed by electric ranges, water heaters and ironers.

The study will make a fact-finding investigation and then provide an advisory service through a board of consultants which will draft plans for use by both public and private agencies to correct evils.

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INSTITUTE LAUNCHES IMPORTANT STUDY

Solution Is Sought to Urban Decentralization.

COLUMBUS, O., April 28—John W. Galbreath, president of the Ohio Real Estate association, today characterized as of "utmost importance" the study launched this week by the Urban Land Institute, sponsored by the National Association of Real Estate Boards, which seeks to solve problems associated with urban decentralization.

"Improved transportation, communication and power transmission have wielded a tremendous influence upon cities throughout the nation, literally exploding them over larger and larger areas," Mr. Galbreath said.

Accompanying this movement, which is complicated by a counter-movement of population from rural areas to metropolitan areas, are unnecessary destruction of urban land values where it is accelerated by such avoidable factors as downtown traffic and parking, failure to protect residential areas, etc., Mr. Galbreath said.

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Social Affairs

DR. AND MRS. W. ALBERT DENNIS of Chelsea avenue are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Eunice, to John William Waters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. C. Waters of Vernon Heights boulevard. A tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Dennis yesterday afternoon announced the approaching wedding which will take place Tuesday, May 28, and also marked the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of the bride-elect's parents.

Assisting Mrs. Dennis in the dining room during the afternoon were Mrs. Waters, Mrs. K. M. Bower, Mrs. Francis Bacon and Mrs. Philip Guthery.

Guests from out of the city included Mr. and Mrs. A. Seiss and daughters, Carol and Jane of Cleveland, Mrs. Joseph Bartley and daughter Genevieve and Miss Irene Inman of Toledo.

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Mary Barnhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Barnhart of 207 Bain avenue, and Chester H. Merchant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Merchant of Thew avenue, is being made today by the bride's parents. The ceremony took place July 30, last year, in St. Mary rectory, with Rev. Father William J. Spickerman, pastor of St. Mary Catholic church reading the ceremony. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hichcock of Detroit, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. They are making their home on South Prospect street. Mr. Merchant is employed at the Ohio theater.

Mrs. Wilson B. Tway of King avenue, Vernon Heights, gave a party Friday morning at the Banyan kindergarten on East Church street, to celebrate the sixth birthday anniversary of her son, Dickie. Games and songs provided entertainment. Ice cream moulds of circus animals were served with refreshments. Marion Neil was guest.

Two tables were filled for cards at a meeting of the Au Pair club Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Reed Stevens on Monroe street. First honors went to Mrs. Ward Eshman, second and third to Mrs. Marion Lloyd and third to Mrs. Eshman.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burgin of 604 Windsor street have returned from a three months' visit in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Dr. R. O. Gregg of the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., was a week-end guest of Dr. A. A. Slarner of 518 East Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grant Robinson of 338 Henry street yesterday visited Mrs. Robinson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Coble of Lima.

St. Mary Alumni Complete Plans for Spring Dance

Final arrangements are being made for the annual spring dance to be sponsored by St. Mary High School Alumni association Wednesday night in the Elks hall. The dance, which has been designed as a Levee Year 50-50 Hop, will start at 9:30 o'clock with Bob McMahon's orchestra playing the program. Tickets may be obtained at the hall.

Arrangements are in charge of a committee composed of Eugene Fetter, president of the association, as general chairman, Mrs. John Parish, Miss Frances Placentino, Miss Valeria Rush, Robert A. Kelly, Jack McAndrew and Ralph Nicolosi. Dress will be semi-formal.

COUPLE AT CARDINGTON TAKE WEDDING VOWS

CARDINGTON, April 22—The marriage of Miss Margaret Healey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Healey, and Wayne Snyder, son of Dr. James Snyder, took place Saturday afternoon in the Methodist church. Rev. R. F. McCutcheon, pastor, read the ceremony at 5:15 o'clock. A reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony.

Miss Alice Magley and Pete Williams were the attendants. The bride and her maid of honor wore redingotes in navy blue. The bride's dress had a bodice of white eyelet organza and she wore blue accessories and white hat and gloves. Her flowers were a shoulder corsage of pink roses. The bodice of Miss Magley's dress was in a powder blue shade which matched the shade of her hat, and her accessories were in navy. Her corsage was fashioned of pink carnations.

Twenty guests were received at the reception. The bride's table held a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom.

Mrs. Snyder was graduated from the Cardington High school in 1936 and Mr. Snyder in 1938. The latter is a teller in the Citizens Bank. They will make their home with the bridegroom's father.

BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN FOR PROSPECT RESIDENT

A surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McPherson of Prospect last evening was in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. McPherson, which is Wednesday. A potluck dinner was served and the evening spent socially and with games and contests.

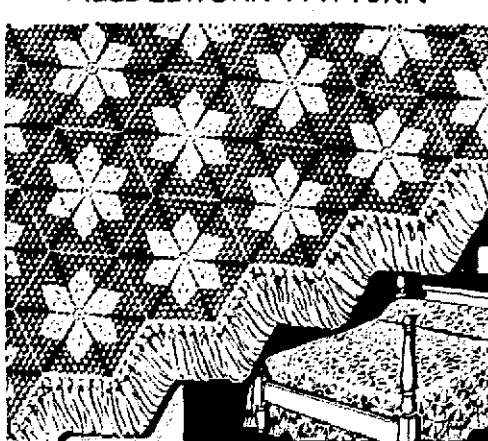
Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry V. Mounts, Miss Ruth Ellen Mounts, Miss Mary Cne Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nelschert, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lucien and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. John Krouse of Waldo, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watling, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lauer, Mrs. Severn Spidell, T. E. Drake, Miss Emma Louise Drake, Mr. and Mrs. William McPherson and the celebrant and Mrs. McPherson.

AFTERNOON AND EVENING PARTIES HELD AT CAREY

CAREY—The Star Carey—Mrs. Harry Mapes and Mrs. L. N. Zahn entertained with a luncheon Wednesday at 1 o'clock at the Mapes home. The afternoon was spent with card playing and bridge and Mrs. S. H. Krebs captured first prize and Mrs. B. Turnbull second for high scores.

At 8 o'clock they entertained a group of friends with contract bridge and lunch was served at the close of the games. Mrs. Edward Riesler Jr. won first prize

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Marriage Meddlers

By ADELE GARRISON

Spencer Forman Plan To Keep Leslie from Learning Secret Entrance Has Been Found.

THE MEN who had been detailed to guard the attic were too well trained to voice surprise, but they were astonished when they saw the aperture in the seemingly impenetrable chimney breast.

"We have found the manner in which those men got into the attic," my father said in matter-of-fact tones. "This stairway leads to a tunnel which has its final exit a long way from the house."

One of the men, a little quicker of perception than his fellows, uttered an explosive "Gee!" then rushed on with hasty but jubilant speech.

"I'm sure glad to hear that," he said. "Before this we've been wondering what weak spot there might be in our line, or whether one of us might have gone to sleep on the job. But this clears us."

Sudden Command "You didn't need clearing with me," my father said, not emotionally, but with the air of a man stating a self-evident fact. "But at this point we must consider what to do with this knowledge now that we have it."

He turned to Dicky with a gesture toward the aperture.

"Can you close that door again?" he asked.

"I hope so," Dicky said with a grin, and put one hand far inside the aperture.

"Stop!" my father said peremptorily. "Take your hand out of there!"

Dicky obeyed, but with a rueful questioning look at the Chief. "Wasn't that a hidden spring of some sort which released that door?" my father asked.

"Yes, it was," Dicky admitted. "Then," my father said severely, "don't you realize that if the spring were touched again, the door might come back with sufficient force to break your arm?"

Dicky looked a bit sheepish. "I guess you're right, sir," he said.

Mrs. J. A. McDaniel entertained Mrs. E. B. Kurtz, Mrs. J. J. McCabe, Mrs. George Newhard and Mrs. J. D. Ewing of Carey and Mrs. Marion Winder and Mrs. J. R. Keever of Richmond at a luncheon Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Park hotel at Magnolia Springs. The afternoon was spent visiting the Reformatory at Marysville.

YOUR HEALTH

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

Fixing the Blame

IF CANCER were personified as a public enemy and tried in each case of death as a defendant, it would probably be surprising to find how often a fair-minded jury would discharge it as not guilty. It is not so much cancer itself that is responsible for the calamity, but the ignorance and carelessness, neglect and dilatoriness on the part of the person who has what might be an early cancer.

Such imaginary trials have been recounted by Dr. Russell S. Ferguson, of the New York State Cancer Commission. In one case a "good friend" advised Mrs. B. not to undergo an unnecessary operation but to take some serum injections, against her doctor's advice. The verdict of the jury was that Mrs. B. was slain by good intentions.

Ignorance and Neglect

In another trial, the doctor said, "I advised Mr. A. when the ulcer on the skin of the face was still small and harmless to have it eradicated, but he refused all treatment. When I was called two years later, his condition was beyond medical help." The jury's verdict was that Mr. A. died of ignorance and neglect.

The doctor said in the case of Mrs. D. "I attended her at child birth and afterwards called attention to an injury and advised her to undergo a simple operation. She ignored my advice." The jury's verdict was that neglect and fear were the real culprits.

These stories indicate that the most important thing for the public to know is the natural history of cancer.

A cancer consists of the sudden growth of cells in a certain place in the body. What makes these cells start to grow we do not know. It is not contagion or infection because another person can be exposed to them without ever catching cancer.

Embryonal Rests

An old theory was that they were embryonal rests, that is to say, very young cells which remained in a body in a pre-natal condition until it was adult, and then suddenly began to grow. We must, at any rate, think of these cells as being earmarked or tagged either by heredity or in some other way, for sudden growth from their very beginning. They are young and vigorous. In the beginning, however, they are all local. Later on they get out into the lymph stream and blood vessels of the body and began to grow at other places (metastases); when this happens, treatment is almost hopeless.

Irritation, as by an old fang of a tooth or a broken pipe stem, may start cells to grow.

Knowing these facts, we can understand what treatment is reasonable. When the growth is localized, surgery can remove it and the cells which are disposed to grow are taken away from the body. The cells, being young, if left alone, will overcome the more sluggish adult cells of the rest of the body. But, being young, they are sensitive to destruction by agents that will not hurt adult cells except in large doses.

The most reliable agent is the peculiar ray that is given off from radium or the x-ray machine. This ray is selective and kills cancer cells, leaving other cells alone.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. P.: "What causes finger and thumb-nails to die? Should they be removed and will others come in their place?"

Answer—An infection either with fungus (ringworm) or pus infection. Other nails grow in after removal if the nail bed is not destroyed.

An Italian railroad is experimenting with a train operated by two charcoal gas burning motors that can carry 38 passengers at a speed of 75 miles an hour.

GALION SCHOOL PICKS OUTSTANDING SENIOR

By The Star

GALION, April 22—Bernard Mansfield, son of Dr. and Mrs. B. P. Mansfield, and a senior in Galion High school, was chosen as outstanding student of Galion High school by the staff of The Lantern, high school paper, for a recent edition of the paper.

Mansfield was chosen because of his pleasing personality, ability to make friends and his many activities.

He is secretary of the Hi-Y club, treasurer of his home room, a member of the Quill and Scroll, national journalism fraternity, Theban society, national drama club, group of the high school; the 1940 photographer of The Star year book published by the senior class.

He was photographer for the Mirror staff and for the Lantern staff in his sophomore and junior years. In the junior class play, "New Fire," Mansfield played the part of Stephen.

When he was in the sixth grade he originated the "Snappy Press." This year he became an active member of the football team and played tackle.

GALION BOYS CHOSEN FOR WASHINGTON TRIP

By The Star

GALION, April 22—In less than two weeks, two Galion boys will be on their way to Washington, D. C., with all expenses paid. They are Richard Hillis, 14, a junior high school student, and John Wisler, 12, student at St. Joseph's parochial school.

They were chosen Friday night by the civic committee which had been appointed for this purpose by the Galion Automobile club secretary, Grace Thomas.

The boys, both members of the school safety patrol which is sponsored by the Galion Automobile club, will be sent to the annual national school patrol celebration in Washington, D. C., May 10 and 11, and they will participate in the school safety patrol parade on May 11.

REPLACING ELECTRIC FUSE

By The Star

Blown-out fuses may be replaced by the home owner with much trouble. The current should be cut off at the main switch with care taken not to touch any of the metal parts. Fuses of the same rating as the ones to be replaced should be used. It is dangerous to use any substitutes as coins or fuses of higher capacity. The capacity of fuses is plainly marked on the metal around the face or on the cover end.

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Daffiness Boys Subdue Giants, 5 to 3; Trosky's Homer Wins for Tribe.

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Writer

A Brooklyn whirlwind that was blowing through the eastern National league today was just a zephyr to the good-natured cypriote who was blown in from the west.

The Dodgers have won eight straight games for the best winning streak in the history of the National league club has had since 1907 when the New York Yankees won their first nine.

The Dodgers may be pennant contenders and they are if they can keep their break even against the western clubs.

They defeated the New York Yankees yesterday before a cheering crowd of 31,850 at the Polo grounds with a two-run homer by Trosky in the eighth inning.

The St. Louis Cardinals finally found some of the power which they have been lacking since they were defeated by the Chicago Cubs 7-3.

The Cardinals had to use two pitchers with Clyde Snee getting credit for the victory.

The Boston Bees broke into the column at last with a 3-2 victory over the Phillies on a seven-inning pitching performance by Lefty Joe Sullivan.

The pace-making Cleveland Indians of the American league won a challenge by the Detroit Tigers and won 11-9 in the ninth inning of Hal Trosky's two-run homer.

In two other overtime games in the American league Sunday, the Boston Red Sox were forced 12 innings to nose out the Philadelphia Athletics 5-4 after taking a three-run lead in the first frame, and the Washington Senators handed the New York Yankees their third straight defeat 3-2 when Gee Walker singled George Case home in the tenth.

The St. Louis Browns piled up hits, including a three-run homer by Walt Juddich, in beating the Chicago White Sox 11-8.

A colorful, odorless and tasteless liquid has been invented by an Italian chemist for fireproofing wood, paper, straw hats and several kinds of leather.

By The Associated Press

DETROIT, April 29.—Bob Feller goes Tiger hunting today in an effort to atone for being knocked out of the box by Detroit last week and to keep the rampaging Cleveland Indians on top of the American league heap.

A barrage of home runs treated the Sunday crowd here as the Tribe defeated the Tigers 11 to 9 to continue in first place.

The speed-balling Feller figures to keep them there for he beat Detroit six times in a row last year.

Everything happens to Henry Pippin. He pitched a good game against Johnny Allen's victorious season debut. And now he gets the call against the Fireballer again.

In the home run show the Indians rolled along comfortably to an 8-to-3 lead in eight innings. Roy Weatherly hit a homer off Schoolboy Rowe in the first inning.

Barney McCosky, first Tiger to face Al Milnar, hit another. Jeff Heath connected with one for the Indians in the seventh.

The Tigers scored six runs to tie the game in the ninth, in the course of which McCosky planted his second smash in the outfield stands.

Hal Trosky broke up the game in the tenth with a drive high into the upper deck, scoring with Ben Chapman who had signed.

Al Smith, Cleveland rookie, pitched the last inning and received credit for the victory.

500 ATTEND FINAL CRAWFORD CO. CHASE

Perrysville Dog Wins First Tree; 91 Entered.

Special to The Star

GALION, April 29.—Ideal weather prevailed for the final chase of the season sponsored Sunday at the Crawford county fairgrounds by the Crawford County Coon Hunters association, with some 500 people witnessing the chase. Officials said today that the weather was a little too ideal with many sportsmen going fishing instead.

There were 91 dogs entered and ran in the elimination. First tree was won by Lightning Boy, owned by B. F. Cowell of Perrysville.

Second tree was won by Red Roudner, owned by Church and Voegel of Newark. Cherry Bob, whose owners are Cox and Tanner of McCutchenville, won the first line.

Winners of the heats were: first tree winner, Red Devil of Tiffin; second, Red Roudner; third, Sandy Bill, owned by Ray Wittmer of Lexington; fourth, Bull Moose, owned by B. F. Cowell; fifth, Ohio Buck, Leathers and Chandler of Ashland; sixth, Red Star, owned by Cox and Tanner; seventh, Lead, owned by L. Shelton of Shelby; eighth, Lightning Boy.

Line winners were as follows: Silver Cloud, owned by Cloes of Mansfield; Wing Foot owned by Cowell of Perrysville; Skipper, owned by F. Bayless of Upper Sandusky; Cherry Bob, owned by Cox and Tanner; Lee, owned by Church and Voegel; Happy Jack, owned by Harrod and Pipes of Tiffin; Black Fox, owned by D. Ludley; Ohio Buck, owned by Leathers and Chandler; Red Star, owned by John Cox of Shelby; Pepper, owned by O. K. Teeters of Ashland; Little Skipper, owned by Earl Tanner; and Lightning Boy.

HAWAIIAN TO TACKLE BECKER AGAIN TONIGHT

Hawaii's chunky little Walter Achi, who kayaked himself on a head dive through the ropes in a previous meeting with George Becker of New York City, gets another chance tonight to put the first blemish on the Easterner's perfect record.

They meet in the main go on the wrestling card at the Marion Steam Shovel gymnasium. Becker has since his debut here. Their match is timed for 20 minutes with two falls deciding the winner.

Ohio's own Stacey Hall, former OSU athlete, stacks up against a newcomer, Tiger Tasker of Australia, in the 45-minute semi-windup. The card will open at 8:30 with a 20-minute prelim.

REDS GET CATCHER

By The Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS, April 29.—The return of catcher Dee Moore to the Cincinnati Reds was announced today by Leo T. Miller, president of the Indianapolis Indians. Moore had been with the Tribe on conditional sale.

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SPORTS

Frisch Pleased with Pirates



Frankie Frisch, new manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, looks well pleased with the team's performance, in this dugout shot at Pittsburgh. Frisch formerly was manager of the St. Louis Cards.

SNATCHES OF SPORTS

By EDDIE BRIETZ
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, April 29.—Tattle tales: Since winning the Masters' tournament, Jimmy Demaret is signing some of his letters merely "The Master"... Indianapolis, shy of right-hand hitters, is trying to get Vince DiMaggio from the Reds... Looks like Louis vs Godoy for Detroit in June... Col. D. Walker Wear, one of the N. Y. boxing commissioners, is black balling the fight here because the last two Louis engagements "were unsatisfactory."

Faithful Follower

Jimmy Wassell of the Senators went to high school with Jesse Owens and spent four years running second to him... Out in the west where they grow 'em big, everyone was surprised at the small size of the touring tennisers—Mrs. Fabyan, Bobby Riggs, et al.

Baseball Trend

So far the Yanks have played the A's four games and won half of them... Last year they beat the Macks 18 out of 22 games.

Selected Shorts

Casey Stengel finally has given up and will shake up the Bees... Since sticking 15 heats with Louis, Arturo Godoy has picked up more than \$15,000 refereeing and making personal appearances... Neil H. Oldfield, nephew of the famous Barney, will manage the gasoline and rubber rodeo Jimmy Lynch and his dare devil tire testers will put on at the World's fair this summer... Zeke Bannura's N. Y. pals hated to see him leave, but all are glad he is back in the big league.

DELAWARE CO. HURLER TURNS IN NO-HITTER

Special to The Star

DELAWARE, O., April 29.—Bob Courter of Powell hurled a 1-0 no-hit game against Hyatt's Friday at Powell in the western half of the Delaware county high school baseball league. Courter drove in the winning run for his team in the fourth inning when he cracked a long triple.

BASEBALL TOMORROW

NATIONAL LEAGUE.—Brooklyn at Cincinnati; New York at St. Louis; Boston at Chicago; Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.—St. Louis at New York; Chicago at Boston; Cleveland at Philadelphia; Detroit at Washington.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.—No games scheduled.

UMP PULLS KNIFE

By The Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 29.—Umpire Bill Wilson is "ticked to death" because Alvin Gardner, Texas league president, decided not to censure him for pulling a knife in a dispute at Fort Worth Thursday. "I've thrown that knife away," he said. "I lost my head. I've apologized to all concerned and I hope it will soon be forgotten."

FITCHERS LACK CONTROL

Chief Bender, Indian hurler who rose to fame with the Athletics, believes the big trouble with modern pitchers is lack of control. He recommends change of pace calls.

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IOWA BACK IN LEAD IN BIG TEN CIRCUIT

Takes Twin Bill from Wisconsin; Ohio Splits.

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, April 29.—Iowa climbed to the head of the Big Ten conference baseball standings over the week-end by topping Wisconsin 5-0 and 4-3, bringing the Hawkeyes' season record to four wins in five starts.

Illinois dropped to second place by splitting a twin bill with Ohio State, losing the first 4-1 and taking the other 17-6. Michigan and Indiana split a pair of games, Indiana taking the first 4-3 and losing the second 3-4.

Chicago finally won a game by beating Purdue 2-1 after losing to the Boilermakers 4-2.

There will be eight non-conference games this week. Wisconsin is in third place in the standings. Other teams follow in this order: Michigan and Northwestern tied, Ohio State and Indiana tied, Purdue, Chicago and Minnesota. Minnesota has not played a conference game.

TESTS GRIDDERS' POWER

Coach Charley Bachman of Michigan State has a tackling dummy which records the force with which linemen hit it.

N. C. O. BASEBALL LOOP OFFICIALS ARE NAMED

Representatives of the North Central Ohio baseball league, convening yesterday at Galion, named a three-man commission to govern the circuit. George Cook of Galion, Gaylord Watson and Oscar Ruhl of Mansfield were chosen.

League officials plan to meet again May 19 at Galion to map out the schedule. Marion, Mansfield, Marysville, Shelby and Galion are set with loop entries and others will be added to round out an eight or ten team circuit, it was reported.

Season opening games will be played May 26.

WALDO SENIORS TO GIVE CLASS PLAY THIS WEEK

The senior class of Waldo High school will present "Go Slow, Mary," a farce comedy in three acts, Thursday and Friday nights at the school. Those taking part are Louise Augenstein, Mary Bender, Ellen Cooklin, Doris Belle Cook, Eva Henry, Esther Laucher, Cherry Myles, Gen Myles, Erma Smith, Jane Snyder, Donna Rea Steiner, Harold Denman, Frank Gottfried, Donald Helby, Lowell Kraker, William Laucher, Roy Schweinfurth, John Treff and Victor Wick.

The play is being directed by Rex Anderson of the school faculty.

UPPER SANDUSKY LOSER

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY, April 29.—Upper Sandusky High school's Rams held Tiffin Junior Order to a 13 to 0 score here Saturday afternoon in a spring season practice game at the local athletic field. Coach Dave Henderson has drilled 30 squadsmen for four weeks. The defeat by Junior Order ended the local football program until next fall.

BALL TEAM HEADS TO MEET WITH PARK BOARD

Representatives of all hardball teams in the city interested in using the city's parks for their games are asked to meet with the park board tonight at 7:30 at the Y. M. C. A. W. Paul Cass, chairman of the board, said the meeting is planned to arrange a schedule which will fit in with the softball schedules.

15 IN CLASS AT EDEN TO GRADUATE WEDNESDAY

UPPER SANDUSKY, April 29.—A class of fifteen seniors will receive their diplomas at commencement exercises at Eden Central High school Wednesday evening. Rev. William Alexander of Pemberville, will deliver the commencement address on the subject, "Workers and Shirkers."

Merle Seely, class orator, will speak on "Privileges in a Democracy" and Russell Case, class

president, will give the farewell address. Diplomas will be presented by Henry Schilling, president of board Superintendent B. M. Rutter will be in charge and Rev. E. E. Prescott, of Nevada, will make the invocation and benediction prayers.

Members of the class are Russell Case, president; Merle Seely, vice president; Anna Myrtle Ellis, secretary; Janet Eickberry, treasurer; Paul Koller, Junior Culer; Philip Case, Ervin Kieffer, Paul Luthy, Keith Blackburn, James McDaniel, Betty Ann Pool, Edna Traylor, Virginia Gilliland and Jeanette Russell.

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